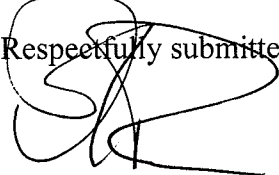


REMARKS

In response to the restriction requirement, Applicants elect, without traverse, to prosecute claims 1 and 3-6, *i.e.*, the Group I claims. Applicants have withdrawn the remaining claims as drawn to non-elected inventions, but reserves the right to re-introduce the withdrawn claims as permitted under the MPEP upon an indication of an allowable base claim.

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